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HANNAH L. BLUMENSTIEL  
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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

In re  
PROFESSIONAL FINANCIAL  
INVESTORS, INC., *et al.*,  
Debtor.

Case No. 20-30604  
(Jointly Administered)

Chapter 11

Michael Goldberg, Trustee of the PFI Trust,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
Leslie Michelle Wallach, Manuel A. Romero,  
and Charlene Albanese,  
Defendants.

Adv. Proc. No. 24-03034

**ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO  
RESPOND TO FIRST AMENDED  
COMPLAINT TO ALLOW FOR  
MEDIATION; ORDER THEREON**

Based upon the Court's review of the foregoing *Stipulation for Extension of Time to Respond to First Amended Complaint to Allow for Mediation*, and good cause appearing therefor,

**IT IS SO ORDERED:**

1. The Stipulation is hereby approved.
2. The parties shall attend and conclude a mediation with an agreed mediator that includes the participation of the insurer no later than May 30, 2025.
3. The defendants' response deadline with respect to First Amended Complaint shall be extended to the earlier of either fourteen days following the unsuccessful conclusion of the mediation; or June 13, 2025.

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4. In the event the mediation is fully or partially successful, Plaintiff shall promptly advise the Court by way of an ex parte status report.

**\*\*\* END ORDER \*\*\***

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